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12 December 1969

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Allen Dulles Estate Records

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1. [REDACTED] called. He stated that he has practically finished reviewing the papers in his office. He was advised to call [REDACTED] when it is necessary to replenish his supply.

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2. [REDACTED] indicated that he has identified several papers which he feels should be removed. He indicated that the contents of these are not necessarily sensitive from a security standpoint but could cause embarrassment to people still living. He mentioned that among the papers he feels should be removed is a letter from President Eisenhower.

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3. I advised [REDACTED] that a Mr. Metzdorf has already completed his monetary appraisal of the Dulles papers and that he has submitted his report to the attorneys handling the Dulles estate. Feeling certain that any communication from President Eisenhower to Mr. Dulles would have been given monetary value in Mr. Metzdorf's appraisal, I suggested to Jack that he contact Mr. Houston in an effort to obtain a copy of Mr. Metzdorf's appraisal. It is obvious that if papers are removed which are included in the appraisal, a subsequent question as to their whereabouts may well arise.

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Deputy Director of Security

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